### Title 18 **ENERGY MANAGEMENT**

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### Chapter 18.04 PURPOSE

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18.04.010 Purpose.

**18.04.010** The purpose of this title is to adopt and implement a comprehensive plan for the management of energy resources and their conservation in King County, to establish energy related criteria for County decisions, including but not limited to, land use planning and regulations, transportation, codes, County operations, facilities management and budgeting, and to establish a process for identifying and ensuring the consideration of energy impacts during the development of the annual capital improvement program. (Ord. 5770 § 101, 1981).

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**18.08.010** Appendix C, glossary, of the "Energy Management Plan for King County", pp. C-1 to C-5 is adopted as part of the definitions of this title. (Ord. 5770 § 201, 1981).

**18.08.020 Conservation:** The care and protection of a resource from loss or waste. (Ord. 5770 § 201, 1981).

**18.08.030** Energy: The ability to do work expressed in watts, British Thermal Units (BTU) per hour or calories per second. (Ord. 5770 § 201, 1981).

**18.08.040** Energy Action Program: Implementation activities which will result in the achievement of one or more energy objectives. (Ord. 5770 § 201, 1981).

**18.08.050 Goals:** An articulation of values, formulated in light of identified issues and problems, toward the attainment of which policies and program decisions are directed. (Ord. 5770 § 201, 1981).

**18.08.060** Objectives: Explicit statements of intended output. (Ord. 5770 § 201, 1981).

**18.08.070** "Program": The King County Energy Management Plan as adopted or revised. (Ord. 5770 § 201, 1981).

## Chapter 18.12 PLAN ADOPTION AND APPLICABILITY

### Sections:

- 18.12.010 Plan Adoption
- 18.12.020 Applicability Land Use Management and Transportation.
- 18.12.030 Applicability Annual Operating and Capital Improvement Budget.
- 18.12.040 Applicability Codes.
- **18.12.010 Plan Adoption.** The recommended goals and policies of the Energy Management Plan, attached to this Ordinance 5770 as Appendix A, is hereby redesignated as the "King County Energy Management Program", and is adopted as official policy of King County. (Ord. 5770 § 301, 1981).
- **18.12.020 Applicability Land Use Management and Transportation.** The King County departments and agencies charged with land use and transportation responsibilities shall, to the extent feasible, consider the goals, policies and programs of the King County Energy Management Program when making land use and transportation decisions and recommendations. (Ord. 14199 § 225, 2001: Ord. 5770 § 302, 1981).
- **18.12.030** Applicability Annual Operating and Capital Improvement Budget. The goals and policies of the King County Energy Management Program shall be considered in the annual operating budget and in the planning and implementation of all King County capital improvement projects. (Ord. 5770 § 303, 1981).
- **18.12.040 Applicability Codes.** The goals and policies of the King County Energy Management Program shall be considered in the revision or addition of any King County Code. Up to date records of existing and future codes relating to energy will be maintained in the files of the Clerk of the Council, and cross-referenced within this title. (Ord. 5770 § 304, 1981).

## Chapter 18.16 PLAN AMENDMENT

### Sections:

18.16.010 Plan Amendment.

**18.16.010** Amendments to the Energy Management Program shall consist of additions or revisions to the energy goals, policies and the energy action programs. (Ord. 5770 § 401, 1981).

# Chapter 18.20 SEVERABILITY AND EFFECTIVE DATE

### Sections:

18.20.010 Severability.18.20.020 Effective Date.

**18.20.010 Severability.** If any provision of this title or its application to any person or circumstance is held to be invalid, the remainder of the Title or the application of the provision to other persons or circumstances is not affected. (Ord. 5770 § 502, 1981).

**18.20.020 Effective Date.** The effective date of this Title shall be April 1, 1982. (Ord. 5770 § 601, 1981).